

It is understool here that the pursuing parties had instructions, if they could not dislodge the robbers with their gouties

## Daily Solonist.

## FRIDAY MORNING, FEB. OTH, 1883. L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchant Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive ad orthsements for the columns of this paper.

A TANGLED WEB.

Our morning contemporary describes the public affairs of the province as being in a double knot that would puzzle the Davenport Brothers to untie. The illustration is not bad, but it falls short of the fact. Matters, as left by the late government, reacmble more nearly a tan-gled mesh than a knotted cord, and it will require all the skill, patriotism and indus-try of the new ministry, assisted by an exceptionally good house, to unravel it. Unquestionably matters of grave import must come before the legislature when it meets, for how can the Standard's "double knot" be untied except by wise legislamust come before the legislature when it ineets, for how can the Standard's "double knot" be untied except by wise legisla-tion? If one reflects for a moment he will recognize the weighty character of the subjects that will come before the legislature for adjustment. It was the policy of the late government to close nothing. Hence, they left the drydock, the Island railway, the railway lands, im-migration and compensation—all ques-tions of vital consequence to the country— in a condition which even their organ is forced to acknowledge is "knotty." The country has long ago discovered that the "Fight Canada" policy of the late gov-ernment was ruinous to the best interests of the province. It first rejected the late "special agent" to London, and next re-pudiated the government that sent him on his fool's errand. The true policy of British Columbia is to live at peace with Canada, if peace can be had on terms that are honorable and ad-vantageous. The action of the governwith Canada, it pace can be deal be had on terms that are honorable and ad-vantageous. The action of the govern-ment last session weakened the hold of the province upon Canada for the con-struction of the Island railway. That matter should be reopened, and while it is under discussion every other question in dispute between the two governments should be arranged. It is in the full be-lief that an arrangement is possible that we now urge this government to open ne-gotiations with Canada on the basis of a full and final sottlement of all differ-ences. The Marquis of Lorne while here stated frequently that the statesmen at Ottawa were anxious to come to an ami-cable understanding with the province on all points. Should this government re-fuse to treat with a government that has done so much for the country it will pursue a course which no man who has the prospera course which no man who has the prosper-ity of the province at heart would be found to endorse. In the high character of the to endorse. In the high character of the men who compose the government the public have a guarantee that the suicidal course of their predecessors will not be followed. What the country requires is its\_Island railway built, its railway lands thrown open, its vast interior set-tled, its drydock finished and compensa-tion for railway delays paid. Those are the great desiderata which the province looks with confidence towards the Victoria government to obtain. It is scarcely ne-cessary for us to say that the "Knot" can-not be untied, or the skein unraveled without the active assistance of the Can-adian government. If that government be approached in a spirit of "give and take" there will be no difficulty in set-tling all the differences within the present year. year

Canada.

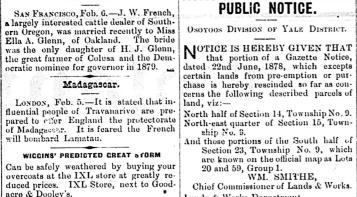
OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—The proprietors of the Ontario Car Works of London, On-tario, represent to the government that railway cars are being systematically smuggled into Canada from the United States, and allege that large numbers of cars are brought across the line loaded and never returned, and in due time the letters indicating ownership are effaced. It is estimated American-built cars to the value of \$450,000 are in the Dominion. value of \$450,000 are in the Dominon. TORONTO, Feb. 6.—A passenger and freight train came in collision near Chan-

diere Falls bridge to day. Several cars were wrecked but no one was hurt. Had the collision occurred a minute earlier, while the trains were crossing the bridge, both would have been swept over the falls

DURHAM, Ont. Feb. 7.-H. C. Gurney,

DURHAM, Ont. Feb. 7.—H. C. Gurney, an accountant for the Bank of Commerce, has absconded. His accounts are short from \$10,000 to \$12,000. OTTAWA, Feb. 7.—The customs agent at Gretna, Niche and Manitoba, are or-dered by the government not to allow grain to pass on to Duluth by the Cana-dian Pacific Railway. The reason for this order is at present unknown. OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—The Dominion min-istry have intimated that although the Rocky Mountain Railroad charter may

Rocky Mountain Railroad charter may be revived, no further land subsidies will be granted to railroads in the Northwest. It is rumored that the Departments of Railways and Canals and Public Works will be united and a Department of In-



California.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

**BAL MASQUE** 

FEB. 14. ST. VALENTINE'S. FEB. 14.

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H. V. EDMONDS, agent for Port Moody Real Estate, will remain in this city until Friday morning. Can be interviewed at the St. Nicholas Hotel. \*

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In the matter of the Estate of WING WOO, of Lill-Loot, Decased, Intestate, A LL PERSONS HAVING ANY QLAIMS ward them at once: and all persons indebted are re-quested to pay the amounts to JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator, Victoria, 8th Feb., 1883. PHILHARMONIC HALL

Victoria, 8th Feb., 1883. (Columbian copy.)

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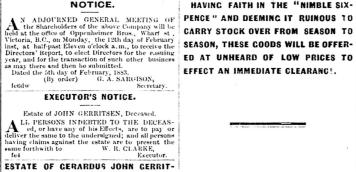
CORMORANT STREET.

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WILL PLAY ON THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING, SATURDAY EVENING, & TUESDAY EVENING,

COMMENCING AT 8 O'CLOCK. The public are informed that this play has been mounted at considerable expense and possesses many points of interest to Whites

naving claims agai same forthwith to fe4 ESTATE OF CERARDUS JOHN CERRIT-SEN, DECEASED. CONSEQUENCE OF THE DEATH OF MR. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. Gerrisen, the Auction Sale of his Effects, an-tised to take place on Monday, the 5th inst., at 11 lock a. m., is withdrawn and





dian Affairs created at the coming session

In A large reacted at the comming session of the Dominion parliament. TORONTO, Feb. 2.—The Canadian Par-liament will be asked to incorporate a company to lay a cable from the Irish const to the lower St. Lawrence, with ef-fective provisions against amalgamation with avising lines or increase in the toriff with existing lines or increase in the tariff

MONTREAL, Feb. 3.—Warden King's iron foundry was burned at 2 o'clock this morning. Loss, \$100,000; insured for two-thirds of this amount. LATER.—The fire has extended to the silk factory of Belding, Hall & Co. WINNERS, Lun 26. The and ampli

suk factory of Beidung, Hall & Co. WINNEES, Jan. 26.—The cold spell ended to-day. The mercury for the first time since the New Year, went above zero, and the prospects are for mild weather. This was the coldest unbroken period in fourteen years. Over a dozen people will lose limbs mainly through carelessness. carelessness.

" I GO TO BRING culture to a continent. said Mr. Oscar Wilde, when, enveloped in furs, he left England for the United States. He roturns, he says, much dis-appointed. He has worn velvet and knee breeches. He has spoken about art, and criticised Niagara; but instead of heaving the county, amid anthusias. Journal.

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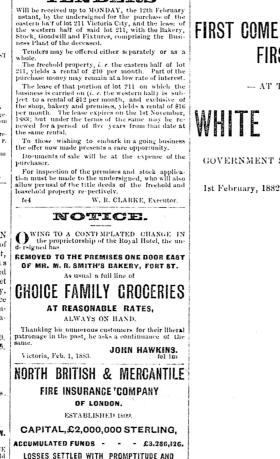
SATUHDAY, FEMIGRAY 101H, AT 3 P. F. Intending shippers are requested to make arrange-nents for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipment. Freight and Baggage for shipment by her are re-jured to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 r. to m Fridax, 9th inst. The steamer Woonside will convey passengers from ur wharf at 12 noon on due of sailing. For Freight and Passage apply to fo. WEI (CH MITHET & CO Arrests

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE.**

OSOYOOS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN N accordance with the provisions of Section 5, of the "Land Amendment Act, 1879," that the following lands in Osoyocs knee-breeches. He has spoken about art, and criticised Niagara; but instead of leaving the country amid enthusias, ho has come away neglected. America will not accept his form of culture. Still is he disappointed i He has made some thing like £10,000 by his journey. The Americans did not accept his culture, but for what he has received than to be gloomy for the gifts which he offered, but the intends to lecture at home upon what he has seen in America.—Court Journgl. Division of Yale District will be offered Lands & Works Department, Victoria, B.C., February 7th, 1883. fe0



LIBERALITY. ALLSOP & MASON, Agents. Government street.

## Daily Solonist.

#### FRIDAY MORNING, FER. 974, 1883. TELEPHONIC.

THE COLONIST editorial rooms are in teleph communication with the central office, with Esqui-malt and with the residence of the proprietor. Partes having news or other information to communi cate will confer a favor by transmitting it to this office through the instrument of the nearest sub-

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE. PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. ENTERED. Feb. S- Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend Str Princess Louise, New Str W. G. Hunt, Nanaimo CLEARED Feb. 8-Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend Str Princess Louise, New Westminster Str W. G. Hunt, Nahalmo

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#### What Some People Say.

That San Francisco Chinese were allowed one hour each day during the new year festivities to set off fire crackers. That San Francisco's climate must b changing. Severe changes in the weather have taken place during the last twenty

four hours. A light snow fell in the sub-urbs of the city on the 6th. That J. W. A. Gilmor, paying teller of the First National Bank, San Francisco, has resigned, a defalcation having been discovered which the officers cannot ac-

That David Burt, the paying teller of the Bank of British North America, San

the Bank of British North America, San Francisco, will have a new trial. That 520,353 immigrants arrived at New York last year. The Germans out-numbered any other nationality by more than three to one. That Moody and Sankey have been la-wring with great seguenture in Dublin

That two men fought a duel in New Mexico with axes. The head of one was Mexico with axes. The head of one was cut off and the other was so mangled that

he shortly died. A woman, of course. That Caroline island, a little rock in the Pacific, will have a larger population of astronomers next April than Kerguel len had in 1874, because it is the only spot from which a total eclipse of the sun can be seen.

That Malta is the last bit of territory Italian Irridentists are claiming, and the Malta News and Independent is ablaze with articles about the "treason" of a local Italiau sheet which advocates Ital

ian annexation. That the Princess Louise arrived at Bermuda on the 31st January and was

given a hearty welcome. That the editor of the Standard never, never, NEVER will forgive Mr. Shakespeare for beating him in the race for Ottawa. Mr. S. has one consolation: the most stones are always found under the best

apple tree. That Mrs. Sophia Tod, widow of the

That Mrs. Sophia Tod, widow of the late John Tod, died yesterday. That wreckage, as if from a steamer, has come ashore at Yaquina Bay, Oregon. That the Chinese merchants will con-tinue to dispense their hospitality until dide grainer. this evening.

That Messrs. Gerow & Robertson, well known pioneers, have opened a black smith and wheelwright shop at the S.W. corner of Yates and Broad streets. Give

corner of Yates and Diola success them a trial. That a young gentleman complaining to a friend of a headache yesterday, was asked to put out his tongue. "Ah !" said the friend, after examining it, "I sao that you have a bad tongue." The see that you have a bad tangue." The sealshins are going out of fashion. This double entendre was appreciated by the may or may not be the fact, but it is cer-

bystanders. That Queen Victoria will probably open the fisheries exhibition. Russia asks 10,000 feet of space. Every foot of this

From Barclay Sound. The Rev. Father-Eussen left Barclay Sound on Wednesday week in a canoo with three Iudians, and arrived here yes with three indians, and arrived here yes-terday morning after a rough and cold passage, the travellers experiencing head winds the best part of the way and hav-ing to row considerably. A bout twenty miles this side Cape Beale they passed a dereliet row boat, but were able to make nothing out concerning it. There was little going on at Barclay Sound out of the common way, and no further particunia, All going on a barely Solution of the the common way, and no further particu-lars concerning the wreck of the barque Malleville, which occurred some months ago. Captain Spring is busily engaged in dogfishing and has three white men and a number of Indians employed. Some of the Indians have been known to catch as many as 400 in one day, as they nov use lines furnished with innumerable hooks. About the middle of November hooks last, Captain Stevens, an American, left his pilot schooner the Hunter, to pilot a ship, and during his absence a gale came up, and drove the schooner with only one man on board to Clayoquot Sound. The captain on leaving the ship had to take a cance from Neah Bay to the west coast and had a rough time with the Nitinatt Indians, whom he found at once inhospitable and exorbitant in their charges for cance hire he being charged \$28 for only a short distance. The schooner had mean-while tried to make Neah Bay, but was driven to Barclay Sound and Capt. Ste-vens at last managed to fall in with her again, having observed in his travels the same derelict boat which was afterwards

per pound. Sales are light. Wheat is very firm and active, at \$1 85 for No. 1 Barley rose about 5 cents to-day on ac count of the sudden clearing off of the storm and cold weather throughout the state. Spot feed barley is worth \$1 20@ 1 223, February, \$1 20; March and

April, \$1 21. Death of a Pioneer Physician.

Dr. Frank Trevor, for several years a resident of this province, and a sterling citizen of "infinite jest," has just died at San Francisco, at the age of 69. While at Cariboo he was in the employ of the overnment as assistant gold comm r. Returning to San Francisco i in 1869 br. Trevor embarked in the coal business

which he continued to the day of his death. "Rare Ben" Griffin, who died here a year ago, and the doctor were bosom companions and an evening passed in their company was an event long to be remembered

Marino. The American ship Samuel Watts, well known on this coast, has been sold for \$52,500. She will sail under the English seen by the Rev. Father Eussen. Fish of all kinds are plentful. The Indians at Barclay Sound are very orderly, and much credit is due to Mr. Guillod, the flag. The Samuel Watts visited Columbia river about six years ago and carried

a large cargo to Europe. Steamship Empire passed down yesterday morning. She landed pilot Sabiston off the harbor.

off the harbor. This evening the steamer Alexander will take up the barque Annie Kemp to load coal at Departure Bay, and bring down the barque Belvidere coal laden. Mail steamship Dakota, Capt. Morse, will leave Berginet to support 2 at 2 at steamer. The Rev. Father Eussen is lo-cated among the Ohiath tribe, and states that the mortality last year was only 3 out of 250; this speaks well for the ex-cellent sanitary condition of these In-dians. In a few days the reverond father will leave Esquimalt to morrow at 3 p.m.

noe Pass, has been acquired by Mossrs: Page & Ladner, of the Delta Company, by

THE CHINESE NEW YEAR --- Chinatowi

ill continues in a festive state; the fire-

cracker rips out its volleys on the sidewalk

at the most unpremeditated intervals

both by day and night, to the great de-light of the lavish Chinaman and also the

small white boy. On Wednesday even-ing<sup>1</sup> the Chinese merchants entertained a

number of ladies and gentlemen, and also a number of their friends last evo-

ning, when a terrible roar of fire crackers

with louder explosions, was kept up or Cormorant street for several hours, at

THE North Pacific is again on the route

Starr, and an hour saved is a good

THE VICTORIA LIEDERGRANZ. - The

Post-Intelligencer.

several hours, at-

whom it will be carried on in future.

Eagle Cannery.

### This valuable property, situated at Ca-

for San Francisco.

Death of J. Y. Creighton.

Among the news items received yesterday was one announcing the death of Mr. J. Y. Creighton at Los Angeles, Califor-nia. He was found dead in the hotel yard on the morning of the 5th inst., having fallen from the third story, either by accident or design, but by which does not appear. He retired the night before

will again return to his mission at Bar-clay Sound by canoe, and all will wish him bon coyage.

dians.

much dazed and considerably under the influence of morphine or liquor. About a year ago he left this province where he had been employed for several years on the C. P. R. R. and in the office of the paymaster in this city, and married a Miss Keach in Scattle, where she still resides. The deceased came to this province about seven years ago from Kingston, Ontario, where his father is warden of the provincial penitentiary His untimely death, at the age of about 30, will be much regret-ted here and in Kingston, as he was a young man of good education, consider-able ability and kindly disposition.

Oregon.

PORTLAND, Feb. 6.-Harry Williams, an employe of the N. P. R. R. at Sand tard and other merchandise. The cabin work is apparently new. Nothing shows the name of the yessel, which is supposed to have been a steamer. Point, started out in the yard to do some work Sunday. He did not return and work Sunday. He did not return and was found next morning frozen to death. The Willamette river was full of float-ing ice all day, but the regular Astoria boat which was heavily sheathed with to Victoria, to stay, we suppose, until the coming of summer. She makes the run in better time by an hour than the Geo. iron, came up only one hour late. She came through floating ice all the way from Tongue Point, eight miles from As-toria. The steamer Columbia will leave E. Starr, and an hour savet is a good deal in these days. We are in hopes the company will build or buy anothersteam-er for that route—a boat larger, finer and faster than the North Pacific. Such a vessel will be greatly needed during the heavy travel of the coming season.— Deat Late immore at 6 a. m. and the chances are in favor of her getting down without detention. In dications now are that all navigation will close by to-morrow night.

#### Notice.

During the sale, the undersigned respectfully request that customers will not ask for samples. SHEARS & PARTRIDGE,

London House Feb. 6th, 1883.

FUR SEALS .- Fur seals are very numer

ons in the straits and a fleet of vessels from the other side have gone out to meet them. Unfortunately, skins have fallen greatly and the business affords but a small margin of profit. Some say that reciprocity treaty. THE ladies' committee P. O. H. acknowledge with thanks gifts received from Mrs. Munro and Mr. Tugwell during the tain that the whole of last season's catch month of January. Also, a Christmas preset. of boys' caps from Mrs. Watson and Mrs. W. Pollard. and one half of that of the previous season are still in dealers' hands in London. We are not informed when the Victoria

San Francisco Markets. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7. DUBLIN, Feb. 5.-An informer ten Wool continues quiet. The bulk of the stock consists of fair and good Oregon dered evidence in regard to the mur-der of Herbert, near Castle island, in alley and Eastern and defective Califor-

March last. The supposed murderers Not much demand for pool clips. Choice grades are almost cleaned up, are now in prison. Prices are unchauged. Hops -- Dull and nominal, at 90@95e The lord-heutenant appointed the time from the 14th of February to the 7th of March for holding sessions for

hearing appeals under the crimes act. The Bishop of Killalla has issued a

pastoral condemning secret societies as establishing tyranny, compared to which the state of things they profess to desire to remove is liberty itself.

A witness named Clinton who let the room on Peter street, used for a drill room, identified Brady and James Carey. The seizure of arms at Whee-

lan's house was formally proved. After the evidence of the finding of ammunition, revolvers and two daggers in Joseph Mullet's house, the prisoners were remanded until Saturday next. THE SENSATION OF THE DAY

Was the reading of extracts from books found when the fenian armory was seized.

The diary of Patrick Wheelan recorded his appointment as treasurer of the Republican Brotherhood purchases in London of rifles and electric battery ; meeting of the committee to consider the resolution which was afterwards proposed at the rotunda meeting of the land league, by nihilists, and a meeting to consult on advisabiliof sending James Maher to America to consult "our chief," James Stephens. This reference to Stephens particularly caused laughter among the prisoners and the people. One entry reads: "Prior to the death of John O. Ma-

honey, the Irish Republican Brother hood had lost its former effectiveness and its prestige was no longer dreaded as a revolutionary body. It had be-come a mere tool in the hands of par-

liamentary aspirants." Another book contained the list of members of workman's club. The police inspector admitted that Wheelan was formerly arrested, but not tried.

DUBLIN, Feb. 5.- A man was found starved to death at Loughrea, county Galway. At an enquiry of the poo law guardian this sad case was found to be one of many. A crowd of hun-gry people gathered in front of the res-idence of Rev. Patrick Guggan, Roman Catholic bishop of Clonfert, one Sunday. The bishop informed them that he and the priests had distributed every shilling available, and said the relief works was the only resource left to relieve the suffering. DUBLIN, Feb. 5.—Some months ago

tracting large crowds of citizens to see the fun, and the whole city was filled with the fumes of sulphur as if it had under-gone a bombardment. the head of the criminal investigation department organized a system of espionage similar to the method of pro-A SUPPOSED WRECK. - A dispatch re-A SUPPOSED WREEK.—A dispatch re-ceived from Yaquina, Oregon, announces that between Yaquina and Alsea bays a large quantity of wreekage had come ashore consisting of pilot house, cabin door and other portions of upper works, and empty barrels, boxes of song, mus-tard and other merchandise. The achie cedure adopted in Pennsylvania in bringing the Mollie Maguires to justice. Men in public stations are now more vigilantly guarded. The French police guarded Gladstone in France. DUBLIN, Feb. 5.—One prisoner ex amined Saturday offers to become informer over 50 persons connected with the conspiracy to murder government

officers who have gone to America. LONDON, Feb. 5.-Sir William Ver non Harcourt, home secretary, now residing in Richmond, Yorkshire, is the subject of extraordinary precautions, it is presumed because of fears of an attack on him by Fenians. Gladstone has received a threaten ing letter, announcing arrangements have been made to murder him if he

returns to London. No importance is attached to the threat. LONDON, Feb. 5. - The editor, proprietor and printers of the Free Thiuk-

Victoria Liedergranz will hold a special meeting next Sunday morning, in Kurtz's factory, for the purpose of adopting a constitution and by-laws. All Germans er were committed for trial on the charge of blasphemous libel. who wish to become members should be BERLIN, Feb. 5.--By command of present. The regular meetings of the Liedergranz singing section take place ev-ery Monday evening at Bagnall's rooms. the emperor, Bismarck has sent the following letter to the German consuls and other diplomatic agents in the THE committee on foreign relations of United States concerned in collecting the U. S. Congress recommend the ab-solute abrogation of the Sandwich Islands and forwarding subscriptions for the relief of sufferers by the recent floods.

The emperor has learned with keen in terest from your reports how general was the sympathy awakened among the German citizens of America fo the sufferings of residents of inundatted states. He is much gratified to learn of the feeling of kinship which citizens of the German race abroad ges in the Ministry, making virtually entertain for their countrymen in their a new cabinet, are expected to be gazetted on Sanday night. It is even old home, which corresponds with the friendly relations existing between Germany and America. I am comsaid Gen. Thebauden, War Minister, will be the only member of the presmanded by the emperor to thank, most ent Ministry remaining. LeGrand, warmly, in the names of the sufferers, former Minister of Marine, is men-tioned for the Ministry of Foreign your committee, which has already achieved such happy results, and I beg Affairs. you to convey to the committee this ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 7.—The Czar's expression of gratitude. The distrib-ution of the funds collected was to me manifesto announcing his coronation, says: "We are determined in our heart a subject of solicitous care, and I asked for and received for this purpose the assistance of a committee of depfeelings excited by the crime under which a benefactor of the people fell vic-

lican, was elected senator from Cohoes the Blucher Hussars. He announced on second ballot. Bourneville, irreconcilable, was elected deputy from 50th arrondissement.

VIENNA, Feb. 5 .-- A serious railway accident occurred in Hungary. Six cars fell down a steep mountain. Seven women and some men were killed and many injured.

VIENNA, Feb. 5 .- LATER .- The ac cident happened on the railway run-ning up the hill to the Dalgo and Tarjanta coal mines. The teeth of the engine wheels broke, and the train, which contained a number of miners and women, gained a fearful velocity down the grade. Most of the miners jumped out in time to save their lives. Seven women were killed.

The emperor presided at the confer ence of the Austrian and Hungarian traffic on the Pacific, the Secretary for cabinet on the construction of a strategical railroad from Husseth, at the junction of Theiss with Vagy, in Hun-

science and press, of public meetings, etc. If these demands are not granted before the coronation of the czar, the revolutionary committee send warning.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 5.-It is understood that Denmark is preparing a circular addressed to the powers, complaining of the proceedings of Prussia in Schleswig-Holstein as a breach of treaties and international law.

DUBLIN, Feb. 6 .--- Wm. Walker wa placed on the stand to prove the letplaced on the stand to prove the let. ting of Temperance Hall, on Cuffey street, to Patrick Wheelan for drilling purposes. He failed to identify the prisoner. Witness, amid great laugh-ter, denied the term, "Witness for the Crown" was applicable to him. Wit-ness named Clinton, who let the room ness named Clinton, who let the roon on Peter street, identified Brady and James Carey. The seizure of arms in Wheelan's house was formally proved. rural and urban administrations. After evidence of the finding of ammunition, revolvers and two daggers in Joseph Mullet's house, the prisoners were remanded until Saturday next. The sensation of the day was the read-ing of extracts from the books found when the Fenian armory across Kevin street was seized. The diary of Patrick Wheelan records his appointment as Treasurer and Executive of the Republican Brotherhood ; purchases in London of rifles and electric battery; meeting of the executive to consider a resolution which was afterwards proposed at the rotunda meeting of the Land League by the Nationalists, and a meeting to consult on the advisability of sending James Maher to Ameria to consult our chief, James Stesell land to foreigners. This reference to Stephens phens. particularly caused loud laughter among the prisoners and people. "Prior to the death of John reads O'Mahoney, I. R. B. had lost its former effectiveness and prestige, and no longer was dreaded as a revolutionary It had become a mere tool in body. the hands of Parliamentary aspirants.' Another book contained a list of the members of the Workman's Club. A police inspector admitted that Wheelan was formerly arrested and tried. A policeman testified to find-ing the murdered body of Bailey, the informer. Prisoner's counsel declared On this matter wholly irrelevant. The tower of the parish church at Freck-Crown's counsel replied he was pre enhand, in the east of England, fell pared to prove the prisoners were members of a conspiracy to which he The tower was a square one, and conwould trace all the murders in the tained five bells, which were rung as city during the last few years, and he usual at Christmas time. It had been would prove Bailey was murdered for some time past in a dilapidated for discovering the Fenian armory. An informer tendered evidence in regard to the murder of Herbert near Castle island in March laet. The sup-

posed murderers are now in prison AGRHM, Hungary, Feb. 5 .-- A severe shock of earthquake was experienced here last evening.

of earthquake were felt in Murcia.

terday recommended President Grevy various stages of "preparation" for to expel the Orleans princes by decree. Grevy hesitates at such a course, but pared" meat were also found, which on it probably will be adopted if the examination proved to be totally unfit Ministry is changed. Sweeping change to be totally unfit

the appointment in a very touching auto-graph letter to the Prince. A deputation from the regiment requests permis-sion to tender personally to the Prince of Wales an expression of their sense of the honor conferred, and hope he will attend the spring or autumn parade and present the regiment to the Emperor. DUBLIN, Feb. 7.—The authorities ac-cept the evidence of John Devine, a

painter, one of the three prisoners charged with the murder of Policeman Cox. Devine's evidence is very start ling. Healy, presiding at the first public referred to his impending imprison-ment, and reiterated his intention of

pursuing the course which he had mark-ed out during his political life. LONDON, Feb. 7.—In replying to a deputation denouncing the abuses to labor annexing or assuming a protectorate of the New Hebrides. He hoped England junction of Theiss with Vagy, in Hun-junction of Theiss with Vagy, in Hun-gary, to Dolina Galicia. SL. PETERSBURG, Feb. 5. — A solemin warning, printed on fine vellum, has reached the czar and cabinet, demand-ing universal suffrage, the right of the people to own land, freedom of con-the same nariad

Losdon, Feb. 6.—The Times com-menting on the Emperor of Russia's coronation manifesto says much too little at tention is attracted by the subsidence of tention is attracted by the subsidence of the revolutionary storm and the reasser-tion of ascendancy by the permanent forces of Russian society. The events of the last few weeks indicate a break up, the last few weeks indicate a break up, at any rate for the present, of a wicke

and sterile conspiracy. CAIRO, Feb. 6.—The indemnity commission includes the diplomatic agency of Austria, France, Germany, Italy, Russia, the United States and Greece, and is un-

Cimbria disaster was 84,000 marks

A of provincial numeripalities, except those of Siberia, whose absence is excused on account of the distance, and presidents of 1:1

HEMLOCK BARK.

English Mail. (Per Steamer North Pacific.)

That wolves still exist in large numbers in France is shown by an official return just issued, wherein the sums paid by the Government for their destruction during the last fiscal year is recorded. The amount annual ly voted with this object is 150,000 francs, and the number of wolves kill ed during the twelve months by those who received rewards amounted to 1,-

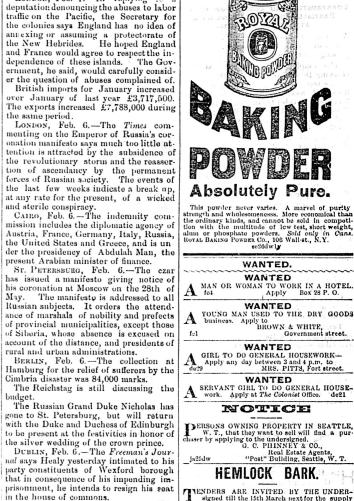
On Friday evening, Dec. 29, the down with a tremendous crash. Fortunately, the tower fell away from the church, or its fabric must have been damaged.

At Birmingham, in England, a few davs ago, a potted meat manufacturer got himself into a serious scrape. No fewer than 352 pieces of partially de-MADRID, Feb. 5.--Renewed shocks composed horse flesh, besides large f earthquake were felt in Murcia. PARIS, Feb. 7.--Jules Ferry yes-had been found on his premises in

potted meat. Fifty tins of duly

No remedy ever discretered possesses the wonderful efficacy of Syrup of Figs. The certainty with which it expels all im-purities from the system, at the same time giving tone to the liver, stomach and bowels, places it shead of all other reme-dies. to say nething of its being more toria. ROYA

ITS WONDERFUL EFFICACY.



TENDERS ARE INVITED BY THE UNDER-signed till the 15th March next for the supply of 000 tons Hemicock Bark, to be delivered well-cured and in good order at Rock Bay Tannery, Victoria. The lowest or an tender not necessarily accepted. Farties desirous of tendering for the above, or for any portion thereof, will please apply to the adver-tiser for further information. de7td FIRE! INSURANCE OF LIVERPOOL AND LONDON. HALL & GOEPEL, ia5

COALO WE HAVE ON HAND A FULL SUPPLY OF PRATT'S **ASTRAL COAL OIL** IN PATENT FAUCET CANS. The quality of which is guaranteed to be equal to For sale in lots to suit purchasers. WELCH, RITHET & CO. Victoria, B.C., 12th Jan., 1883. je13 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA



will be occupied. That a justice of the peace at Red Bluff, California, having been on a spree, entered his court room fined himself \$20, handed it to the clerk and proceeded with the business of the day. Since then he business a total tables of the day. Since then he business a total tables of the day. Since then he business a total tables of the day. Since then he business a total tables of the day. Since then he business a total tables of the day. Since then he business a total tables of the day. Since then he business at tables of the day. Since then he business at tables of the day. Since then he business at tables of the day. Since then he columbia sizes the day at tables of the analysis of the day.

the business of the day. Since then he has become a teetotaller. That Hon. Mr., Trutch, who sails to-morrow for Ottawa, will be accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. Bovill. That a pair of King's combination glasses are the things to preserve your sight. Sold only at Redfern's. That the champion light waight is a

That the champion light weight is a That a country girl wrote to her lover:

"Now, George, don't you fale to be at the singing school to-night." George wrote back that in the bright lexicon of youth (Webster's Unabridged) there's no such word as "fale."

such word as "fale." That there will be a social given in the basement of the Methodist church by the young men next Tuesday, Feb. 13th. Admission 25 cents to be followed by a similar entertainment every two weeks. \*

That attention is called to the request for tenders for certain valuable lands situated in Nanaimo district, which nust be handed in to Mr. Registrar Pre-vost by the 28th Feb.

vost by the 28th Feb. \* That two newly furnished rooms are to let with or without breakfast, on Pandora avenue. Address s'B. C." at The Colonist office

"THE LION."-The Chinese Theatrical Company have arranged for the produc tion of a play called "The Lion" at the at the theatre on Cormorant street on this Satur day and Tuesday evenings. The play i said to possess attractions that will be pe The play is culiarly interesting to white people.

AGRICULTURAL SHOW.-The next show will be held at New Westminster. Would it not be well if the directors were got together and the books, etc., handed over to a committee of the Royal citizens.

SALMON.—There is considerable in-quiry for the spring catch, with reported sales on the Columbia river for export at \$1 221 f. o. b. Choice brands are held at \$1 30 per doz. - 2'. F. Newsletter. day.

engaged

steam schooners

bound.

THE COLUMBIA CLOSED. - Private dispatches from Portland announce that the Columbia river has closed to navigation,

and that there will be no more mail of passenger traffic between Seattle and Portland for some time to come. Mails, says the Post, in future should come ing.

through their natural channel, the regu-



ar steamers from San Francisco, whose coming is never interfered with by ice, and which, moreover, are never bar-NICARAGUA CANAL BILL IN CONGRESS. -A long discussion took place on the above bill on the 6th instant. Several speeches were made for and against it. General Rosecrans' resolution against was lost, 137 to 67, which shows that if the

bill could be got before the house in a regular way it would be passed by a handsome majority.

TEMPERANCE MEETING. - Colonel Hawkins, of Tennessee, a celebrated temper-ance orator, will lecture on his favorite ance orator, will locate on his favorite subject this evening at 7:30, in the lec-ture room of the Methodist church, Pan-dora street. As an interesting, powerful and eloquent speaker the colonel is sur-passed by but few men on the continent. He has recently been addressing largo audiences on the Sound.

THE "WEST SHORE."-This illustrated monthly is again to hand brim full of well executed cuts of New Tacoma and viemlect.

ity. The editor promises a series of il-lustrations of scenery along the Northern Pacific railroad in Montaua, the Yellow-stone, the headwaters of the Columbia and Missouri rivers and other localities of interest, in future issues

FROM THE SOUND.—Yesterday at 12:30 the steamer North Pacific arrived from the Sound with passengers. There was no freight this trip.

THE Canadian Parliament met yester-FURS AND DIER SHINS.

SALMON SALE, -At San Francisco, on the 6th instant a sale was made of 5800 cases of Columbia river canned salmon, for the east, at \$1 30 spot.

POLICE COURT. -There were no cases before the police court yesterday morn-

REPAIRING. - The steamer Etta White is at Burrard Inlet undergoing repairs.

# ANNOUNCEMENT!

A. B. GRAY & CO., beg to announce that they have disposed of their retail business to Messrs. BROWN & WHITE. We desire to thank our customers for the liberal patronage accorded to us in the past, and solicit a continuance of the same to the above named firm.

We will in the future devote ourselves to the WHOLESALE TRADE of the province, and will from this date occupy the commodious premises, corner of Wharf and Bastion streets, formerly oc-cupied by Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co.

A. B. GRAY & CO. VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 31, 1883.

#### Piano Tuning.

The tone, action and musical quality of a plane can only be preserved by employ-ing one who understands the mechanism of the instrument and can lay the bear ings of an equal temperament. Every instrument should be kept at concert pitel and tuned every three or four months. One-half the pianos are destroyed by neg-

A. L. FRANCIS.

WHEN St. Valentine steps into the field, all the mischief ho may do (having Carte Blanche) is beyond the pale of the law, and call the Chief Justices in the land, and he stands with a moulded shield impregnable. We have our usual supply, only prettier. T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

The Canadian Parliament met yester The Canadian Par

uties in the reichstag, representing the distressed districts.

Bismarck's pains are less acute, but he is still confined to bed.

BERLIN, Feb. 5 .--- Emperor William s well enough to resume out-door ex

BERLIN, Feb. 5,--Bismarck's con dition is slightly improved.

PARIS, Feb. 5 .-- Prince Jerome wa sent before the court on an indictment for an attempt to overthrow the existing regime. The senate elected a committee on

the expulsion biil. The right opposed the whole bill. The only member favorable to the bill is Tertelin. Its opponents present 145 votes, and it is cal-culated 110 senators will support the bill. Leon Say is a particularly warm opponent of the measure. He elo-quently opposed the bill in a meeting

of the bureau of the lelt. PARIS, Feb. 5 .-- Public uneasiness is increasing. The impression prevails that the army does not like the expulsion bill. An intimation to this effect was sent to President Grevy.

PARIS, Feb. 5. The Soir anticipates a majority of fifteen in the senate against the expulsion bill. PARIS, Feb. 5.--Verninac, repub

officially says agrarian outrages in Ireland during January number 90.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—A heavy gale pre-vailed on the coast te-day. Several minor casualties involving loss of life are reported.

LONDON, Feb. 7.- A bottle has been LONDON, FOD. 7.— A Dottle has been found on Bournemouth back containing a saloon ticket on which are written tho following words: Our ship is in great distress. Tho masts are destroyed; im-mediate help is necessary. Steamer man husband with whom she does not wish to live.

following ... distross. The masts are sup-mediate help is necessary. Steamer Noderland. The Red Star Line steamer Ueberry, sailed from Nederland, Capt. Ueberry, sailed from Antwerp Feb. 3, for New York. Bourne-mouth beach, where the bottle is said to have been found, is in Southampton

county, England. LoNDON, Feb. 7.—The report of the loss of the steamer Kennmuir Castle is confirmed. She foundered in the Bay of Biscay, Feb. 2d, in a few minutes. They were only able to launch one boat containing all passengers numbering 8, and 5 of the crew. The whole crew num-bered 40 persons. The survivors when rescued by a French steamer, only wore

reacted by a Fonce steamer, only word night dresses, and were all very weak. LONDON, Feb. 7.—A Paris dispatch states that Falliers, President of the Council, expressed the intention to re-

JOHN JEFFRY & Co.'s XXX Edinburgh BERLIN, Feb. 7.—The Emperor is es-pecially gratified at the acceptance, by the Prince of Wales, of the coloneley of ner Wharf and Johnson streets.

SIR JAMES HANNEN, the president of the English Divorce Court, denounced the other day from the bench the power lodg-ed in his court, which enables him to ised in his court, which enable ea in his court, which enables him to is-sue a decree restoring to a husband his conjugal rights. His observations were called forth by a case which came before him under peculiar circumstances. A person had, in 1881, obtained a decree avaingt his wife, which the wife direct

against his wife, which the wife disobey ed-that is, she declined to live with her husband, and would not be compell not to perform this sacred right until the jed. He next got an order of attachment but failed to serve it, and discovering that the lady had found shelter in the house of Mr. of Orrell Lever, M. P., he tim to have time to calm. DUBLIN, Feb. 6.—The Dublin Gazette applied to the court for an attachment

against him. The contention of coursel was that Mr. Lever was assisting the lady

to evade the jurisdiction of the court. "I do not wonder," said the judge, "at anyone assisting a woman to resist a jur-isdiction which exists in this court only, and which I wish did not exist here namely, the pawer of committing a wo-man because she does not return to a

A LARCE SALE. C. J. Judson, of Wallacoburg, takes great pleasure in saying that Burdock Blood Bitters is having a largely increas-ed sale; he says he has received numbers of turing with the numbers of testimonials to its virtues in the ail ments for which it is recommended.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR is one of the most DEAUTIFUL HAIR 18 One of the most striking and pleasing characteristics and can easily be obtained by using Cingaleso Hair Renower. Price 50 cents por bottle. Forsale by all druggists.

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